

CHINESE PROBLEM.

Mr. Bryan's Views Toward This All Absorbing Question.

Washington, Aug. 1.—Mr. Bryan's attitude towards the Chinese problem declared in his recent interview, is heartily commended by Democrats in this city. Coupled with his Philippine policy it would supply us with all the advantages of an eastern base and would enable us to send thirty thousand men, if necessary, from Manila, to save Minister Conger and those with him. As it is Democrats in this city fiercely resent the efforts of the Republican press to throw upon their party the responsibility for the inability of the administration to spare more troops from Manila for China. For instance, the Philadelphia Press, which is owned by Postmaster-General Smith and therefore speaks by the card, says: "The troops cannot go because resistance to lawful authority in the Philippines is fostered by Bryan and Bryanism, by the Kansas City platform and by such newspapers as urge withdrawal from the Philippines. This aid, comfort and countenance keeps the Filipinos in the field. It maintains resistance. It prevents pacification."

Merely mentioning in passing that this statement is a most remarkable commentary on the recent official assertions of the administration that the war in the Philippines is practically over, violent exception is taken to the assertion that the continuance of the "rebellion" is due to the Democrats. As a matter of fact, it is declared to be due to President McKinley who treacherously violated the pledges of his army officers to give independence to our quondam Filipino allies, and who was carried away by the lust of imperial rule to attempt to impose his rule on a people who had been fighting for their liberty for more than three centuries and who had won it in fair fight against Spain.

Furthermore, it is said, if it had not been for the Filipino "rebellion" the United States army would now probably number only some 30,000 men—its strength before the Spanish war—and would certainly not exceed 65,000. The bill authorizing the present force would never have passed Congress had it not been for the almost tearful pleas of the President for men to support the honor of the flag, which his greed had imperiled in the Philippines.

The present troubles, it is said, have at least served to show the country something of the truth about the Philippine situation which the administration has been so sedulously concealing. Major General MacArthur has sent from Manila a strong protest against withdrawing any troops at all from the Philippines for service in China, and instead has asked for reinforcements. He has urgently represented to Secretary Root that under the system of garrisons adopted it is impossible to redistribute his force when regiments are withdrawn so as to properly patrol the districts from which they have been taken. Secretary Root thoroughly appreciates General MacArthur's views, but the urgency of the situation in China is such that he is compelled to detail regiments to Taku.

Commenting on this, Senator Wellington, (Republican) of Maryland, says: "If the situation in the Philippines is as favorable as the administration would have us believe, there is no reason why twelve or fifteen thousand men could not be sent from there to China. I think that would be America's fair quota of the international force for the relief of Peking, and beyond the protection of American life and property this country has no business to interfere in the affairs of the Chinese Empire. The European powers have sowed the wind and are now reaping the whirlwind. They have been looking for trouble in China for a long time, and now they have it. The fire they have kindled is a hot one, and this government should look well to it that the American troops are not used as a cat's paw for the pulling out of European chestnuts."

Through reports and private letters reaching the officials here it is becoming manifest that the suppression of the Filipino insurrection is really a work of years. This certainly is the opinion of almost every army officer in the Philippines.

Rev. J. M. Yingling, pastor of the Bedford Street Methodist church at Cumberland, Md., says: "It affords me much pleasure to recommend Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I have used it and know others who have done so. I have never known it to fail. It is a sure cure when taken in time." For sale by M. Cravens.

OBITUARY.

On Friday evening, July 27, the angel of death entered our community and claimed for its victim one of our oldest and best beloved members—Mrs. Sally Bryant. She was born May 12, 1816. She was married to David Bryant about 68 years ago and to them were born twelve children, all of whom are living but one. She early in life confessed her Savior and united with the Baptist Church, and the religion she embraced then was a comfort in old age. Often as I watched by her bedside and witnessed the patient and perfect resignation to her Master's will, did we think how sweet it was to be a Christian. She was a good mother and grandmother, always giving good advice. She was dearly loved by her children and her cheerful voice will be missed and her deeds of kindness long be remembered by every one in the community.

The funeral services were conducted by Revs. Breeding and Murrell after which the remains were interred in the family burying ground to await the resurrection of the just.

On Sunday morning, August 5, the grim reaper, death, visited the home of Mr. Jasper Bryant and took from him his beloved wife. She had been afflicted along time, but bore her sufferings with Christian fortitude. A short time before the end came, she called her children to her bedside and told them to live right and meet her in heaven. She said that she was only waiting; that she had been living close to God, and was willing and ready to meet him. She leaves a large family of children, all grown, a husband and a host of relatives to mourn her loss.

This entire community joins in sympathy for the bereaved ones.

SALLIE BRYANT.

An Indian Romance.

An impressive ceremony was observed at the little village of Peoria, Miami county, Ind., the other day in the unveiling of the monument to mark the resting place of Frances Slocum.

The story of Frances Slocum dates back to a period in the revolutionary war. When she was five years old she lived with her parents near the Wilkesbarre, Pa., fort. One night the log cabin in which they lived was besieged by Indians. The father and brother were massacred by the savages, but the mother and children escaped. Frances was taken West with the Indians, and her people were in ignorance of her whereabouts. The mother did not abandon hope. She said her soul constantly communed with that of her lost child, and she often said that she knew by intuition that Frances was alive and that she would again see her. Finally, the family heard of a white woman who was living with a tribe of Indians in Western Pennsylvania. The brothers left the mother and, taking guns and provisions, began their long tramp through a trackless forest the point they had been directed. Their efforts were rewarded, for, on arriving at the village, they found their sister, now grown to nearly womanhood.

She finally consented, after much deliberation, to accompany her brothers home. The Indians were loth to give her up, but on her promise to return to them they acquiesced to her plans. Mrs. Slocum cherished her with a mother's tenderness, but the wild flower from the forest pined for a life of freedom. At last Frances returned to the Indians who had reared her.

In 1837, 59 years after her capture, her relatives again heard from her. She was living near Logansport, Ind. Her brother, Joseph Slocum, and a sister journeyed from Pennsylvania to visit her. Soon after the death of her foster parents her hand was sought in marriage by a young chief of the tribe, and she was happy in her domestic relations. Her first husband died, and she again married, taking for a husband one of the Miami tribe.

She died in 1856, and was buried in what is now the village of Miami with considerable pomp, for she was regarded as the queen of the tribe and a woman of much more than passing consequence.

Cincinnati people are grumbling on account of their small increase in population. They lay it on the census takers.

A House That Has A History.

On the Salt River turnpike, twenty-five miles from Bardstown, at Valley Station, is an old house that has quite an interesting history. It was built in the year 1803, many years before there was any pike through that part of the country. Some years later, however, the residents of that section banded together and built a plank road from Louisville to what is now known as West Point. The old Louisville and Nashville turnpike was then built and the stage line started between those two cities. The old log house was then turned into a tavern and kept by a man named George Moore. The stage coach stopped there and changed horses. Capt. Cany kept a stage tavern there for a number of years. An old man named Simcoe ran a blacksmithshop directly across the road and did a prosperous business. The old blacksmith shop, like the house is still standing, only in a much more dilapidated condition, for the progress of civilization has covered up the old logs of the house with a covering of weatherboards. Otherwise it stands today as it did ninety-two years ago, with the exception that the old clapboard roof has given away to tin. In the 40s two men named Lovett and Jones held up the stage coach at the tavern, and, after killing the driver, robbed the stage, getting away with \$60,000 in gold, which was on its way to Nashville with its owner. The two highwaymen were pursued by a posse of farmers, and being hard pressed, buried the money on the farm that belonged to the owner of the tavern. They were caught and taken to Louisville, where they were hanged. On the scaffold, Lovett told where the money was buried, but although it has been searched for by thousands, it still remains undiscovered.—Bardstown Observer.

Jeff Davis' First Marriage.

No commonwealth in all the Southland, except perhaps Mississippi or Virginia, has so great a claim upon the memory of Jefferson Davis as Kentucky, says the Louisville Post. In this State he was born, in this State he was partially educated, and in this State, near Louisville, his first marriage took place under romantic circumstances.

Jefferson Davis was still almost an infant when his father moved from Todd county to Mississippi, but he returned to Kentucky a few years later to become a student at old Transylvania College in Lexington. He was at college when President Monroe appointed him a cadet at West Point, and thereby changed the destinies of the young Southerner's career.

But the event in his life most closely associated with Kentucky history was the marriage of Mr. Davis, then a Lieutenant in the regular army, to the daughter of his Colonel, Zachariah Taylor, afterward President of the United States. For two years the young couple had been engaged at the frontier army post, where Col. Taylor's regiment was stationed. The father opposed the match. So the daughter came back to Kentucky to visit relatives in this county. Davis followed her, and a romantic elopement took place. Miss Taylor stole out of the house at night and met her lover. They slipped across the yard to the cabin of a devoted negro servant, on the "quarters". Here a servant met them, and here they were married, with only a faithful old "black mammy" and her husband as witnesses.

This cabin still stands on the old Taylor farm four miles from Louisville, on the Brownsboro road, which is a culmination of Washington street. On the same farm is the grave of President Taylor.

At Jefferson Davis' funeral a floral design, sent by the survivors of a Kentucky battery, had the place of honor at the head of the casket.

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The Democratic majority in the Seventh Congressional district is not big enough to be divided into two parts without endangering the chance of Democratic representation in Congress.

Women in the Fields.

Hundreds of women, both from town and country, are busily engaged in working on farms in Kansas. There are not so many in the fields now, as the largest part of the harvesting is over, but the visitor will readily notice a surprisingly large number of the feminine sex at work in the fields. The women do it as a matter of choice, believing that they can do better on the farms than in an office or store.

The salary of the farm hand is \$2 per day, which is far in excess of the amount received by the women who clerk in stores and other places. The girl may work a month in the harvest field, and earn as much in that length of time as she would in a whole summer in town. The girls who are working in the fields say that the work is not only easy, but healthy, and they feel much better than if they were cooped up under a roof all day.

The ride on the reapers and mowers, run the hay rake and shock wheat just the same as men, and if anything some of the young women are quicker than the men. They do not wear bloomers, but go clothed in sunbonnets and thin dresses.

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The sugar trust continues to mark up the price of sugar, and the consumer can do nothing but grin and bear it. The sugar king is protected by the tariff, the mother of trust, and snaps his fingers at the "great common people," as represented by the helpless consumers.

President McKinley's backbone still shows signs of weakness.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

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An exchange speaks of two of the most stingy men on record. The first will not drink as much water as he wants unless it comes from his neighbors' well. The second forbids his family to write anything but small hand, as it is a waste of ink to make large letters. Both of them refuse to take a newspaper on the ground that it is such a stain on their spectacles to read.

Louisville points with pride to the very slow growth of Cincinnati during the past ten years.

The German voters show signs of revolting against the imperialistic ideas of the McKinley administration.

With the exception of trouble, the more the average man has the more he wants.

The Republican policy gives the rich man a big advantage over the poor one. It makes "the rich richer and the poor poorer." The poor man's opportunity is through the Democratic party, which gives an equal chance to all.

Mrs. George R. Sullivan, known as the "angle of the transports," is dying in New York.

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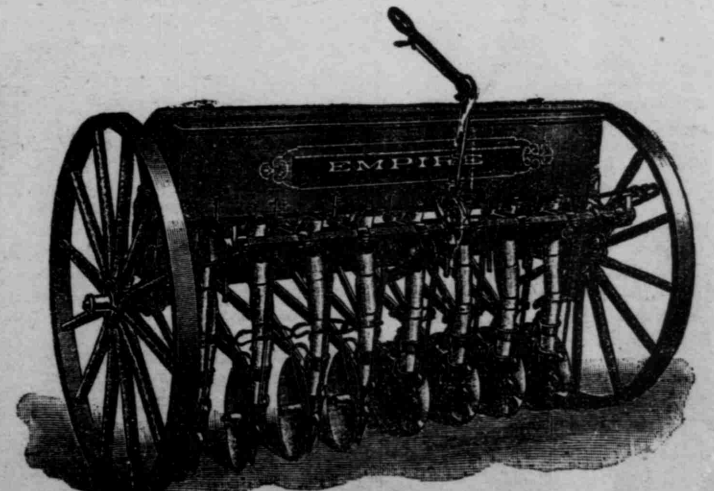
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